

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of	)	
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Kumar et al.	)	Art Unit: 1637
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Application No. 10/072,666	)	Examiner: Suryaprabha Chunduru
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Filing Date: February 8, 2002	)	Confirmation No. 3290
	)	
For: DETECTION METHOD USING	)	
DISSOCIATED ROLLING	)	
CIRCLE AMPLIFICATION	)	

**RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION**

Mail Stop Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

Responsive to the Office Action mailed on July 15, 2008, please consider the following remarks.

**Remarks** begin on page 2 of this Response.